

## SENATE RESOLUTION 108

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Sonja Sexton, 2007  
Valedictorian of Scott High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Sonja Sexton is one such exceptional student who was recently named valedictorian of the 2007 graduating class at Scott High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Sonja Sexton has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Sonja has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while being named to the National Honor Roll and to *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and

WHEREAS, active in several scholastic organizations, Sonja Sexton is a member of the Beta Club, Art Club, Spanish Club and the journalism staff; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Sonja has garnered honors from Lead America, All-American Scholars, and Academic Achievers, in addition to receiving the Citizenship Award; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Sexton's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Sonja's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jack and Chris Sexton, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Sonja Sexton's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007 Scott High School Valedictorian, Sonja Sexton, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.